ECHOES FROM THE LODGE ROOM

Ionic Camp, M. W. A., Observes Thirteenth Anniversary With Smoker and Social Time-Foresters Appoint Delegates to State Gathering-Odd Fellows Conduct Whist.

UNITED WORKMEN.

Owing to the presence of Brother Edward E, Mix of New Haven, member of the grand lodge finance committee, and Master Workman Daniel C. Halloran and Brother Charles B. Douglas of Sprague lodge, No. 8, New London, and Grand Outside Watchman Hiram M. Hodgdon of Thames lodge, No. 13, Groton, Union lodge, No. 10, of Niantic, had a particularly interesting meeting last Monday evening. The lodge held its installation of officers, which was conducted by Supervisor Charles B. Douglas of New London and suite, among those installed being Brother Hill, previously foreman of the lodge, as master workman. Aftar speeches had been made to instill more arder into this already progressive lodge, cigars were pased around and a pleasant social evening was enjoyed by all.

The regular meeting of the grand lodge finance committee will be held at the grand lodge arecutive committee will be held at the grand lodge executive committee will be will be regular monthly meeting there Wednesday evening.

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J. H. Liepold and Mrs. Herman Opitz delegates to the grand council of the women's auxiliaries to be held in Middletown May 7. At the last meeting of the lodge five applications for membership were received and one new member was initiated,

Court Sachem, No. 94, held a well attended meeting Thursday evening in T. A. B. hall and one candidate was initiated. These delegates were appointed to the state convention to be held in May at New Haven: Joseph R. Portelance, Jeremiah Healy, Henry Clement; alternates, Frank Hero, Dona Simino, Louis Sauter. It was reported that Foresters' hall would again be ready for occupancy some time next month.

The New London Foresters have invited the three local courts to attend the meeting to be held the first Tuesday in April, when there will be a class of ten initiated. FORESTERS OF AMERICA.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

The report of the supreme council on membership and finances February 28, 1913 is as follows:

Membership—Last report 250,944, applications since received 1,040, reinstatements since received 37, total 252, 221 are and ner withdramals 225. statements since received 37, total 252,021, sus. and per. withdrawals 825,
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250,873, total number councils 1,936.
W. and O. B. Fund—Balance last report \$583,304.93, received during the
month \$651,532.49, transferred from
emergency fund \$0,000.00, total \$1,224,937.52, death benefits paid \$623,608.51, balance on hand \$611,339.01,
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Emergency fund—Amount per last report \$6,092,947.45, amount since add-ed \$16,791.16, transferred to W, and O. B. fund \$0,000.00, total February 28 \$6,109.738.61.

Excess of mortuary resources over all known Habilities 18,551,133.76, Amount outstanding assinst certi-ficates under Sec. 430 (16), \$4,268, General fund—Balance last repert \$146,099.93, received during the month \$1,798.81, total \$148,078.74, paid during the month \$15,497,50, balance on hand \$132,581.24.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. The quarterly meeting of the na-tional directors of the Knights of Col-umbus, which is to be held in Wash-



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Ionie camp, No. 7694, observed thirteenth anniversary Thursday evening with a pleasant and well at-tended smoker for the members and friends in Pythian hall. There were about 150 prsent. Venerable Council-lor Thomas Broderick presided. An lor Thomas Broderick presided. An attractive programme was carried out, including enjoyable selections by the Academy quartette, solos by William Fleming and Arthur Campbell, Jr., and a six round boxing exhibition between Kid Williams of Greeneville and Kid Broad of this city. There were interesting addresses by Brothers C. J. Collins and William J. Connors of New London. The selections by the quartette made a big hit and encores were given. The quartette was composed of Harold W. White first tenor, Leroy A. Swan second tenor, Donaid Leroy A. Swan second tenor, Donaid G. Eliss first bass, Charles D. Pren-tice second bass. In the boxing bout the boys did not seem inclined to mix it up during the first three rounds but towards the close were going in good style with little advantage on either side. In the last half there was a fast exchange of stiff blows, both boys giving and taking.

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Ionic camp was organized on Feb. 20, 1906 with 30 charter members. The lodge has had a prosperous existence and is now in excellent condition. The membership is now about 150.

Hope Rebekah lodge received five applications for membeship at Wednesday's meeting in Odd Fellow's hell and these candidates will provide work for the degree team early in May. OWLS.

The regular meeting of Norwich nest No. 1896, was held Tuesday evening in Owls' hall and the regular order of business followed. The entertain-ment committee reported the com-pletion of plans for the charity whist to be held on the second Friday of April

The election of officers will take the at next Thursday evening's be at next Thursday evening's meeting of Sedgwick camp, No. 4, and soveral prominent speakers have been secured for the occasion. A large attendance is expected and it is planed to make the occasion a pleasant one. Efforts are under way to revive interest in the order and to awake a new spirit of activation. new spirit of activity.

ODD FEIIOWS. Uncas lodge, No. 11, worked the second degree in full form on three candidates of Shetucket lodge at Monday evening's meeting in 0.44 Fellow's hall. Uncas lodge has three candidates for the initiatory degree

At the regular meeting of Relian's lodge, No. 29, of Jewett City, held Monday night the evening of April 4 was the date set for the banquet of the grand master. It was decided to invite Uncas and Shetucket lodges of Norwich and Protection lodge of Central Village. The second degree will be worked that evening be worked that evening.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. White Cross council, No. 12, held its regular meeting Friday night. The first degree was conferred upon a large class of candidates and five applicants were elected to membership. The large number of members that are being passed through the degrees of the order makes it superative for the council to arrange for the exemplification of the third or major degree in the near future, and the proper officers have the matter under consideration.

A communication was read from A communication was read from John M Lee, master of the fourth degree, announcing a forthcoming exemplification of the fourth degree to be held in Bridgeport on May 30. Every indication points to a large class of candidates for membership in this section of the order.

ODD FELLOWS.

Uncas and Shetucket lodges conducted a pleasant whist Friday evening in Odd Fellows' hall. Fifteen to bles were played and prizes were awarded as follows: Ludies—First, Mrs. Prodell, cream and sugar set; second, Mrs. Joseph George, fancy sugar bowl. Men—First, J. Clish, stickpin; second, Mr. Prodell, fancy necktie.

Dancing followed the whist and all enjoyed a delightful time. Extra Car for Immigrants.

There was an extra car for immigrants on the 6.40 New Haven north-bound train through here Friday night. It was to transport those who had come up to New London on the boat from New York which hegularly reaches the former named port in the morning but on Friday was delayed by fog so that it did not make port till late in the afternoon.



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Norwich and Jewett City

WAS NEVADA PIONEER. W. Boynton, Native of This

State, Dies at His Home in Reno. Norwich friends of John W. Boynton of Reno, Nevada, who met him while he was here on a visit three Years ago, will regret to learn of his death which occurred on March 8th at his home in Reno.

Of Mr. Boynton's decease the Reno

paper says:
One of the oldest ploneers of Nevada, in the person of John W. Boynton of 220 California avenue, passed away to his reward between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after an illness extending over

Tecumseh tribe has changed its meeting place from Hibernian hall to the Bill block and held its regular meeting at the new quarters Wednesday evening. The session was occupied with the transaction of regular business.

A number of the members are planning to attend the Great Sun council to be held the first Wednesday in May. The delegate from Tecumseh is the alternate.

SONS OF VETERANS.

Well Known Resident.

Mr. Boynton was a native of Connecticut and was born 76 years ago. Fifty-five years ago he came to Nevada and had been a resident of this state ever since. By making good use of his talents, by industry and ability he accumulated a large amount of property in Reno and Nevada, and was accounted a wealthy man. He devoted almost all his attention to farming and the Boynton ranches are famous throughout the west.

Fie was a member of the Reno lodge of Odd Fellows and was a past grand master of the order. master of the order.

Mr. Boynton's life history shows

what can be done by the exercise of industry and the practice of nonesty and integrity in dealing with one's

He lived beyond the accepted span of human life and his passing away leaves a void that will be hard to fill. Scores of lifelong and devoted friends mourn his loss, for he was a friend in need to many.

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auspices of Reno lodge, No. 14, L O. O. F., of which lodge Mr. Boynton was past grand master and a member dead were conducted at the hall and cemetery by Noble Grand George Armstrong, assisted by officers of Reno lodge No. 14 and Chaplain A. W.

Rev. Harry Sheldon, paster of the Reno Methodist church, delivered a funeral oration at the conclusion of ELKS.

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At all the services a large number of sorrowing friends were present and many beautiful foral offerings attested that a change in climate might benefit him. He returned to Reno two weeks ago little benefited in health and steadily sank until death came where the hope that a change in climate might benefit him. He returned to Reno two weeks ago little benefited in health and steadily sank until death came where the hope that a change in climate might benefit him. He returned to Reno two weeks ago little benefited in health and steadily sank until death came where the hope that a change in climate might benefit him. He returned to Reno two weeks ago little benefited in health and steadily sank until death came whence the first him the hope that a change in climate might benefit him health and steadily sank until death came whence the first him the hope of sorrowing friends were present and many beautiful foral offerings attested to health and steadily sank until death came whence the first him health and steadily sank until death came whence the first the Odd Fellows' services, in which he referred in feeling terms to the life of the honored dead and dwelt at some

knew Mr. Boynton in the active days, which now have closed forever for him in this world.

In the east Mr. Boynton leaves the following nieces and nephews: Clarence D., Arthur C. and Fletcher E. Boynton, of Norwich; Olin F. Boynton of Montville, Mrs. William H. Boynton of Korwich George W. Boynton of Houston, Texas, William H. Boynton of Lewiston, Maine, He also leaves a brother, Philander Boynton leaves a brother, Philander Boynton of Manchester.

Bartenders' Union Subscribes. The sum of \$27 has been subscrib and all paid in by members of the Nor-wich local, No. 367, Bartenders' league, toward the fund to pay local expenses of patients at the tubedculosis sanaof patients at the tubedculosis sana-torium in this county. Those to con-tribute, each in the sum of \$1, are the following: Frank H. Bliss, Michael F. Shea, George H. Lynch, Stephen P. Sullivan, P. Shahan, F. G. Dunn, Ted Sullivan, John Lavalle, P. Hayes, D. Heyes, E. Colling, Dave Murchy, Mich. By his unaided efforts he rose to a position of affluence and commanded the respect and esteem of his fellowliam Delaney, Peter Lawicki Andrew McLaughlin, M. J. Shea, M. Keough William Callahan, Samuel Sanderson

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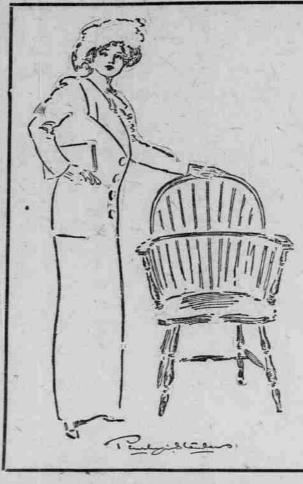
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